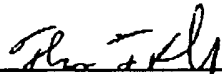
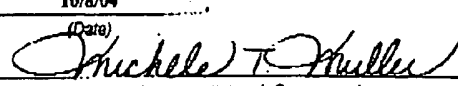
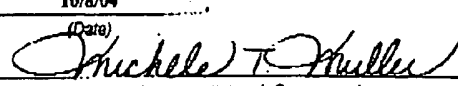
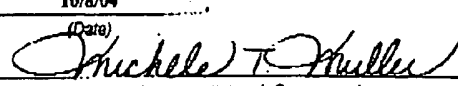


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>				<b>Docket No.</b> <b>IR 3556 NP</b>					
In Re Application Of: <b>YANG, S. et al</b>									
<b>Application No.</b> 09/480,193	<b>Filing Date</b> 01/10/00	<b>Examiner</b> N. J. Ublir	<b>Customer No.</b> 31684	<b>Group Art Unit</b> 1773	<b>Confirmation No.</b>				
Invention: <b>POLYMERIC ARTICLES HAVING A TEXTURED SURFACE AND FROSTED APPEARANCE</b>									
<b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>									
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>August 19, 2004</u> above-identified application. <small>Date</small>									
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months									
from: <u>September 19, 2004</u> <small>Date</small>		until: <u>October 19, 2004</u> <small>Date</small>							
The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:									
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.									
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>01-2717</u>									
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <u>01-2717</u>									
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.									
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>									
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